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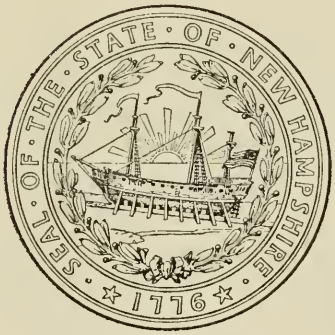


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# TOWN OFFICERS

*Moderator*

EDWARD G. MELLUS '60

*Town Clerk*

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD '59

*Selectmen*

LAWRENCE L. DENTON '59
REGINALD C. MORRILL '60
HOLLIS L. POLLARD '61

*Treasurer*

CLAIRE A. MELLUS '59

*Tax Collector*

EDWARD G. MELLUS '59

*Road Agent*

JOHN L. JENNESS '59

*Police Officer*

DELMORE A. BUCKLIN '59

*Supervisors of Checklist*

ETHEL YOUNG '60 ROBERT ERICKSON '60
BYRON WISER '60

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

JOSEPHINE FLETCHER '59
FRANCIS CLEMENT '60 HARRY SMITH '61

*Library Trustees*

ELIZABETH TORSEY '59
GERTRUDE BUCKLIN '60
ALICE DICKINSON '61

*Fire Warden*

HOLLIS POLLARD

*Deputy Wardens*

JOHN JENNESS DELMORE BUCKLIN
DONALD ATWOOD

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

*Financial Condition:*

As shown elsewhere in the auditor's report, the net budget deficit increased by $2,253.32 in fiscal 1958. The reasons for this are readily seen in the Schedule A-3. It will be noted that the largest single overdraft was for highway maintenance. In some instances, it will be noted, that no appropriation was available, as in the case of public relief. In accordance with the auditor's recommendation, we have budgeted $1,000.00 for 1959 to reduce said deficit.

*Highways:*

Of the total deficit for the fiscal year, $2,361.34 resulted from highway operations. A breakdown of the figures seems to indicate an underestimate of the expenses from Jan. 1 to May 20 when the town truck was delivered, and an excessive amount paid for additional labor during the balance of the year.

The selectmen feel that they should hold bi-weekly meetings with the road agent and hold to a strict budgetary schedule of expenses and a more rigid accounting procedure to prevent overexpenditure of highway funds except in cases of emergency.

We recommend that the town purchase a tractor-loader for the use of the road agent. Several used machines which have been fully overhauled are available at reasonable prices. The uses of such a machine are many and varied; loading sand, gravel, light excavation work, loading refuse and stones from ditches, etc., to name a few.

The road agent understandably has resorted to hauling materials from such sources where loading services are available. This has often resulted in increased cost to the town.

*Equipment:*

The selectmen accepted an offer by Raymond Tucker to overhaul the grader. It was completely torn down and new final drive installed, motor overhauled, the frame welded, and a paint job was performed.

The snow plow and tractor were sent to the N. H. Tractor Co. for overhauling. The tractor was found to be in excellent condition except for new brake shoes. The plow was found to be badly cracked and was welded. The hydraulic system was completely overhauled. Both tractor and plow were steam cleaned, zinc chromated and painted. A new cab with electric windshield wipers was added.

*Town Truck:*

As a result of the vote in last year's town meeting, the selectmen and the advisory committee advised the truck dealers in the Plymouth and Bristol areas of our needs. The bidding was highly competetive and very involved with technical details. After several meetings of the committee and selectmen and interviews with the dealers it was agreed to purchase an F740 Ford with Gar Wood body. Other features included V-8 engine 178 h.p, five speed transmission, 16,000 lb. 2 speed axle, off the road rear tires. It was also equipped with turn indicators, mud flaps, flares and blinking light.

For snow removal it was decided to equip the truck with a V type snow plow and a wing. The committee located a wing not being used by the State Highway Department, and which was donated to the town. In having the plow mounted it was found that the power lift pump owned by the town was unsatisfactory for the new truck and necessitated an expenditure of $255.00. The wing was mounted in such a way as to be power operated from the cab and was well accepted by the road agent. A complete analysis of expenditures for truck and equipment is found elsewhere in the report.

*Driveways:*

Once again the subject of plowing driveways must be raised. Each year finds the town with more driveway services required. Estimates vary as to the percentage, but it seems fair to say at least half the cost of winter maintenence is expended for this purpose. At present, the town plows more than eighty driveways.

We feel that the town has some responsibility for driveway plowing, but should not absorb the total cost, and that a charge of $10.00 per driveway per winter should be made to those property owners desiring the service.

We propose the following exemptions from the charge: (a) resident property owners over 70 years of age and (b) exemption upon presentation of a doctor's certificate of inability to shovel snow for reasons of health. The selectmen further propose to reserve the authority to plow any driveway in emergency.

*Town Dump:*

As required by law, the Selectmen caused a fire line to be cleared around the Dump.Fortunately, this was done before some person or persons unknown set the dump on fire. As a result much valuable space was reclaimed, and the rat problem eliminated for this year at least. The Selectmen feel that additional land should be cleared to eliminate the fire hazard and a program of weekly cleaning and burning at proper times be instituted. A separate means of Garbage Disposal should also be arranged.

Your Town Dump is a most important function of public service, for every person who deposits burnable refuse on the dump eliminates a possible fire hazard in a thickly populated area in the little immediate fire protection.

Respectfully Submitted

LAWRENCE L. DENTON
REGINALD C. MORRILL
HOLLIS L. POLLARD

Selectmen of Bridgewater

# TOWN WARRANT

*The State of New Hampshire*

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Grange Hall in said Bridgewater on Tuesday the Tenth day of March to act upon the following subjects:

*Polls to be open from 1 P. M. to 7 P. M. Business meeting at 8 P. M.*

1. To choose a Selectman for three (3) years and all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Carried

2. To see if the Town will vote to adjust the salaries of Town Officers.

Carried

3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Current Maintenance Expenses for the ensuing year, as estimated in the budget, excepting the following: Highways and Bridges, Old Home Day.

Carried

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $425.57 for TRA, providing the State contributes $2,837.14.

Carried

5. To see if the Town will vote to continue the duties of the Advisory Board until rescinded by vote of the Town Meeting.

Carried

6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Road Agent to hire a full time helper at a salary of $2,500.00 per year.

Carried

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the purchase of a Tractor Loader and to authorize the Selectmen to issue a series of notes for a period not to exceed three (3) years.

Carried

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of Highways and Bridges, Summer and Winter. 11,000 Passed

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to fix a minimum charge of $10.00 for snowplowing a driveway. 1.00

10. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Old Home Day. 200 Passed

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to reduce the current operating deficit. Carried

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,827.12 to pay principal and interest on long term note due December 1?, 1959. Carried

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and to deliver inventory blanks when assessing. Passed

14. To transact any further business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, the twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

LAWRENCE L. DENTON
REGINALD C. MORRILL
HOLLIS L. POLLARD
Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

LAWRENCE L. DENTON
REGINALD C. MORRILL
HOLLIS L. POLLARD
Selectmen of Bridgewater

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, Jan. 1 1959 to Dec. 31, 1959, compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year, Jan. 1, 1958 to Dec. 31, 1958.**

| SOURCES OF REVENUE | Estimated Revenue Previous Yr. 1958 | Actual Revenue Previous Yr. 1958 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Yr. 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **From State:** | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | $ 83.58 | $ 83.70 | $ 80.00 |
| Railroad Tax | | .13 | .12 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 15.00 | 22.59 | 25.00 |
| **From Local Sources Except Taxes:** | | | |
| Dog Licenses | 120.00 | 98.40 | 100.00 |
| Business licenses, permits, filing fees | 7.00 | 6.00 | 7.00 |
| Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits | 100.00 | 140.64 | 150.00 |
| Income of Departments: | | | |
| Highway, incl. rental of equip. | | | 100.00 |
| Plowing Driveways | | | 500.00 |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 1,500.00 | 1,783.53 | 1,700.00 |
| **Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:** | | | |
| Tractor Loader | | | 1,667.00 |
| **From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:** | | | |
| Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2 | 240.00 | 248.00 | 250.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 10.00 | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| Yield Taxes | 162.00 | 220.66 | 400.00 |
| Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes | $ 2,237.58 | $ 2,613.65 | $ 4,989.12 |
| **Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes** | | | **45,412.00** |
| Total Revenues | | | $ 50,401.12 |

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Appropriations Previous Year | Actual Expenditures Previous Yr. | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Yr. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | 1958 | 1958 | 1959 |
| **General Government:** | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | $ 1,300 | $ 1,346.48 | $ 1,660.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 950.00 | 1,002.28 | 1,000.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 250.00 | 256.62 | 100.00 |
| Auto Permit Fees | | | 125.00 |
| Exp., Town Hall & other Town Bldgs | 80.00 | 33.00 | 85.00 |
| **Protection of Persons and Property:** | | | |
| Fire Department | 250.00 | 239.72 | 250.00 |
| Blister Rust Control | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Insurance | 230.00 | 394.45 | 310.00 |
| Planning and Zoning | | 100.17 | |
| Damage by Dogs | 5.10 | 5.10 | 4.84 |
| **Health:** Town Dump | 250.00 | 184.21 | 175.00 |
| **Highways and Bridges:** | | | |
| General Expense, Highway Dept. | 8,500.00 | 11,204.42 | 10,500.00 |
| Town Road Aid | 427.61 | 427.61 | 425.57 |
| **Libraries** | 175.00 | 175.00 | 225.00 |
| **Public Welfare:** | | | |
| Town Poor | | 158.15 | 100.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 650.00 | 726.44 | 650.00 |
| **Patriotic Purposes:** | | | |
| Memorial Day & Veterans' Assoc. | 15.00 | 15.00 | 15.00 |
| Old Home Day | 200.00 | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| **Recreation:** Bristol Community Ctr | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| **Public Service Enterprises:** | | | |
| Cemeteries | 50.00 | 50.00 | 25.00 |
| **Unclassified:** | | | |
| Advertising & Regional Assoc. | 75.00 | 125.00 | 75.00 |
| Employees' Retirement & Social Sec. | 100.00 | 130.71 | 175.00 |
| Interest: On Temporary Loans | 350.00 | 247.15 | 300.00 |
| On Long Term Notes and Bonds | | | 134.16 |

BUDGET — Continued from Page 11

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Appropriations Previous Year 1958 | Actual Expenditures Previous Yr. 1958 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Yr. 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Outlay for New Constr. & Perm. Improv.** | | | |
| **Highways and Bridges:** | | | |
| Town Construction (Improvements) | 3,500.00 | 3,354.04 | |
| Huber Repair | 800.00 | 889.30 | |
| New Truck and Plow | 1,666.67 | 1,778.97 | |
| Tractor Repair | 750.00 | 914.00 | |
| New Equipment, Tractor Loader | | | 2,500.00 |
| **Payment on Principal of Debt:** | | | |
| Long Term Notes | | | 2,692.96 |
| Deficit of Previous Year | | | 1,000.00 |
| County Taxes | 3,422.23 | 3,422.23 | 3,422.23 |
| School Taxes | 22,529.98 | 22,529.98 | 24,051.36 |
| Total Expenditures | $ 46,726.59 | $ 50,110.03 | $ 50,401.12 |

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT OF INVENTORY

| | |
|---|---|
| Land and buildings | $1,227,045.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | 6,300.00 |
| Electric Plants | 75,520.00 |
| House Trailers, used as dwellings | 3,000.00 |
| Stock in Trade | 8,400.00 |
| Boats and Launches | 5,500.00 |
| Horses, Asses and Mules | 410.00 |
| Colts | 1,865.00 |
| Oxen | 150.00 |
| Sheep and Goats | 40.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | 750.00 |
| Portable Mills | 2,500.00 |
| Total Gross Valuation | $ 1,331,480.00 |
| Less Soldiers' Exemptions | 20,500.00 |
| Net Valuation | $ 1,310,980.00 |
| Taxes Committed to Collector | $ 44,835.52 |
| Tax Rate | $ 3.42 |

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|---|---|
| Town Hall | $ 5,000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 200.00 |
| Libraries | 500.00 |
| Fire Department | 800.00 |
| Highway Equipment | 8,500.00 |
| Schools, Land, Buildings and Equipment | 10,000.00 |
| | $ 25,000.00 |

*Certificate*

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LAWRENCE L. DENTON
REGINALD C. MORRILL
HOLLIS L. POLLARD
Selectmen of Bridgewater

# DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

## STATE TAX COMMISSION

### Concord, New Hampshire

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### Summary of Findings and Recommendations

February 3, 1959

Board of Selectmen
Bridgewater, New Hampshire
Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the annual examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Bridgewater for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1958, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

### Scope of Audit

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Trustees of Trust Funds.

### Financial Statements

**Comparative Balance Sheets — 12/31/57 - 12/31/58: (Exhibit A-1)**

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1957 and December 31, 1958, are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein the Net Debt increased by $6,744.87, from $853.69 to $7,598.56 during 1958.

**Analysis of Change in Financial Condition:**
**(Exhibit A-2)**

An analysis of the change in financial condition of the Town during the year is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

**Increase in Net Debt**

| | |
|---|---|
| Long Term Notes Issued | $ 4,471.92 |
| Net Budget Deficit | 2,253.32 |
| Decrease of Cash in hands of Officials | 19.63 |
| | $ 6,744.87 |

**Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues:**
**(Exhibits A-3 & A-4)**

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1958, are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit A-4), a net overdraft of appropriations of $2,771.29, less a revenue surplus of $517.97, resulted in a net budget deficit of $2,253.32.

**Summary Statement of Receipts and Expenditures:**
**(Exhibit B-1)**

A summary statement of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1958, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit B-1. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1958, is indicated in Exhibit B-2.

## Audit Procedure

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds, were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books or record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records.

## General Comments

**Current Deficit:**

It is noted that the current deficit (excess of current liabilities over total assets) increased from $853.69 to $3,126.64, during 1958, as shown herewith:

| | 12/31/57 | 12/31/58 |
|---|---|---|
| Current Liabilities | $ 11,080.40 | $ 12,654.53 |
| Total Assets | 10,226.71 | 9,527.89 |
| Current Deficit | $ 853.69 | $ 3,126.64 |

It is recommended that provision be made in the 1959 Town Budget for an appropriation to cover the whole or a part of the current deficit. In order not to increase the tax rate too sharply in one year it is suggested that two annual appropriations of $1,500.00, or three annual appropriations of $1,000.00, if necessary to completely liquidate the current deficit, may be made.

**Conclusion:**

The provisions of Chapter 184, of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Town.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Bridgewater for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director

Division of Municipal Accounting

State Tax Commission

Norval D. Lessels, Auditor

O. Maurice Oleson, Accountant

## EXHIBIT A-1

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Comparative Balance Sheets

### As of December 31, 1957 and December 31, 1958

| ASSETS | December 31, 1957 | | December 31, 1958 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Cash:** | | | | |
| Treasurer | $ 2,849.19 | | $ 706.11 | |
| Town Clerk | 25.68 | | 6.05 | |
| | | $ 2,874.87 | | $ 712.16 |
| **Uncollected Taxes:** | | | | |
| Yield taxes not committed | $ 1,065.11 | | | |
| Levy of 1958 | | | $ 7,825.55 | |
| Levy of 1957 | 5,213.68 | | 140.48 | |
| Levy of 1956 | 293.00 | | 133.95 | |
| Levies of Prior Years | 545.05 | | 525.75 | |
| | | 7,116.84 | | 8,625.73 |
| **Uncollected State Head Taxes:** | | | | |
| Levy of 1958 | | | $ 135.00 | |
| Levy of 1957 | $ 155.00 | | 25.00 | |
| Levy of 1956 | 40.00 | | 20.00 | |
| Levies of Prior Years | 40.00 | | 10.00 | |
| | | 235.00 | | 190.00 |
| Total Assets | | $ 10,226.71 | | $ 9,527.89 |
| Net Debt | | 853.69 | | 7,598.56 |
| Total Assets & Net Debt | | $ 11,080.40 | | $ 17,126.45 |

## EXHIBIT A — Continued

| LIABILITIES | December 31, 1957 | | December 31, 1958 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Unexpended Balances of Appropriations:** | | | | |
| Water Hole | $ 300.00 | | $ 300.00 | |
| Adv. & Regional Assoc. | 50.00 | | | |
| Zoning Commission | 200.00 | | 99.83 | |
| | | $ 550.00 | | $ 399.83 |
| Excess Remittance Due Tax Collector | | 84.94 | | 50.40 |
| **Due State of New Hampshire:** | | | | |
| Head Taxes-Uncollected | $ 155.00 | | $ 135.00 | |
| Head Taxes-Coll., not remit. | 22.00 | | 33.00 | |
| Spec. Yield Taxes-Uncoll. | 225.35 | | 66.76 | |
| Spec. Yield Taxes-Collected Not remitted | 135.13 | | 189.56 | |
| | | 537.48 | | 424.32 |
| Due School Dist.-Bal. of tax | | 9,907.98 | | 11,779.98 |
| Long Term Notes Outstanding-Highway Equipment | | | | 4,471.92 |
| Total Liabilities | | $ 11,080.40 | | $ 17,126.45 |

## EXHIBIT B-1

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Classified Summary of Receipts & Expenditures

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **RECEIPTS:** | | | |
| **Local Taxes:** | | | |
| Current Year: | | | |
| Property Taxes | $ 37,028.93 | | |
| Poll Taxes | 188.00 | | |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 10.00 | | |
| Yield Taxes | 125.11 | | |
| Head Taxes | 610.00 | | |
| | | $ 37,962.04 | |
| Prior Years: | | | |
| Property Taxes | $ 5,136.62 | | |
| Yield Taxes | 1,023.56 | | |
| Poll Taxes | 60.00 | | |
| Head Taxes | 180.00 | | |
| | | 6,400.18 | |
| Interest on Taxes | | 140.64 | |
| Head Tax Penalties | | 19.50 | |
| | | | $ 44,522.36 |
| **State of New Hampshire:** | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | | $ 83.70 | |
| Railroad Tax - 1957 | | .13 | |
| Savings Bank Tax | | 22.59 | |
| Fighting Forest Fires | | 13.02 | |
| Refund - Blister Rust | | 1.00 | |
| Refund - Gas Tax | | 66.07 | |
| | | | 186.51 |
| **From Local Sources Except Taxes:** | | | |
| Dog Licenses | | $ 98.40 | |
| Filing Fees | | 6.00 | |
| Income from Highway Department | | 277.01 | |
| Motor Vehicle Permits | | 1,783.53 | |
| | | | 2,164.94 |

## EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:** | | |
| Temporary Loans | $ 21,000.00 | |
| Long Term Notes | 4,471.92 | |
| Refunds | 143.01 | |
| | | 25,614.93 |
| Total Receipts | | $ 72,488.74 |
| Balance - December 31, 1957 | | 2,849.19 |
| Grand Total | | $ 75,337.93 |

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Classified Summary of Receipts & Expenditures

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

**EXPENDITURES**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **General Government:** | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | $ 1,346.38 | |
| Town Clerk's Fees | 125.00 | |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 877.28 | |
| Election and Registration | 256.62 | |
| Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance | 33.00 | |
| | | $ 2,638.28 |
| **Protection of Persons and Property:** | | |
| Fire Department | $ 239.72 | |
| Blister Rust Control | 100.00 | |
| Zoning Committee | 100.17 | |
| Insurance | 394.45 | |
| | | 834.34 |
| **Health:** Town Dump | | 184.21 |
| **Highways and Bridges:** | | |
| Town Road Aid | $ 427.61 | |
| Town Maintenance — Summer | 6,017.09 | |
| Town Maintenance — Winter | 5,187.33 | |
| Tractor | 1,828.00 | |
| Huber Maintenance | 889.30 | |
| | | 14,349.33 |
| **Libraries** | | 175.00 |
| **Public Welfare:** | | |
| Old Age Assistance | $ 726.44 | |
| Town Poor | 158.15 | |
| | | 884.59 |

## EXHIBIT B–1 (Continued)

**EXPENDITURES (Continued)**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Patriotic Purposes:** | | |
| Memorial Day | $ 15.00 | |
| Old Home Day | 200.00 | |
| | | 215.00 |
| Recreation, Bristol Community Center | | 100.00 |
| Cemeteries | | 50.00 |
| **Unclassified:** | | |
| Damages and Legal Expense | $ 5.10 | |
| Advertising and Regional Associations | 125.00 | |
| Discounts, Abatements and Refunds | 9.90 | |
| Excess Remittance Refunded | 84.94 | |
| Social Security | 130.71 | |
| Yield Taxes Paid to State | 135.13 | |
| | | 490.78 |

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Classified Summary of Receipts & Expenditures

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Interest:** Temporary Loans | | 247.15 |
| **Indebtedness:** Temporary Loans | | 21,000.00 |
| **Capital Outlay:** | | |
| Road Improvements | $ 3,354.04 | |
| New Equipment - Highway | 5,336.89 | |
| | | 8,690.93 |
| **Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:** | | |
| State Head Taxes | $ 692.00 | |
| County Tax | 3,422.23 | |
| School Tax | 20,657.98 | |
| | | 24,772.21 |
| Total Expenditures | | $ 74,631.82 |
| Balance - December 31, 1958 | | 706.11 |
| Grand Total | | $ 75,337.93 |

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER — EXHIBIT A-3

### Comparative Statement of Appropriations & Expenditures Fiscal Yr. Ended Dec. 31, 1958

| | Forwarded From 1957 | Appropriations | Receipts & Reimb'ts | Tot. Amt. Available | Expenditures | Balances Unexpend. | Balances Overdrafts | Forwarded To 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Town Officers' Salaries | | $ 1,300.00 | | $ 1,300.00 | $ 1,346.38 | | $ 46.38 | |
| Town Officers' Expenses | | 950.00 | $ 80.25 | 1,030.25 | 1,002.28 | $ 27.97 | | |
| Election & registration exp. | | 250.00 | | 250.00 | 256.62 | | 6.62 | |
| Town Hall & Bldg maint. | | 80.00 | | 80.00 | 33.00 | 47.00 | | |
| Fire Department | | 250.00 | 13.02 | 263.02 | 239.72 | 23.30 | | |
| Blister Rust Control | | 100.00 | 1.00 | 101.00 | 100.00 | 1.00 | | |
| Damage by Dogs | | 5.10 | | 5.10 | 5.10 | | | |
| Insurance | | 230.00 | 22.66 | 252.66 | 394.45 | | 141.79 | |
| Town Dump | | 250.00 | | 250.00 | 184.21 | 65.79 | | |
| Town Road Aid | | 427.61 | | 427.61 | 427.61 | | | |
| Town Maintenance | | 8,500.00 | 343.08 | 8,843.08 | 11,204.42 | | 2,361.34 | |
| Libraries | | 175.00 | | 175.00 | 175.00 | | | |
| Old Age Assistance | | 650.00 | | 650.00 | 726.44 | | 76.44 | |
| Mem. & Old Home Day | | 215.00 | | 215.00 | 215.00 | | | |
| Community Center | | 100.00 | | 100.00 | 100.00 | | | |
| Cemeteries | | 50.00 | | 50.00 | 50.00 | | | |
| Adv. & Regional Assoc. | $ 50.00 | 75.00 | | 125.00 | 125.00 | | | |
| Soc. Security & Ret. | | 100.00 | | 100.00 | 130.71 | | 30.71 | |
| Road Construction | | 3,500.00 | | 3,500.00 | 3,354.04 | 145.96 | | |
| New Truck & Plow | | 1,666.67 | 3,557.92 | 5,224.59 | 5,336.89 | | 112.30 | |
| Cap. Repairs-tractor & grader | | 1,550.00 | 914.00 | 2,464.00 | 2,717.30 | | 253.30 | |
| Interest | | 350.00 | | 350.00 | 247.15 | 102.85 | | |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| County Tax | | 3,422.23 | | 3,422.23 | 3,422.23 | | | |
| School Tax | 9,907.98 | 22,529.98 | | 32,437.96 | 20,657.98 | | | $ 11,779.98 |
| Overlay | | 344.51 | | 344.51 | 382.74 | | 38.23 | |
| Zoning Commission | 200.00 | | | 200.00 | 100.17 | | | 99.83 |
| Water Hole | 300.00 | | | 300.00 | | | | 300.00 |
| Public Relief | | | 40.10 | 40.10 | 158.15 | | 118.05 | |
| | $ 10,457.98 | $ 47,071.10 | $ 4,972.03 | $ 62,501.11 | $ 53,092.59 | $ 413.87 | $ 3,185.16 | $ 12,179.81 |

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER — EXHIBIT C-1

### Summary of Warrants For Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

| DEBITS | Levies of: 1958 | 1957 | 1956 | 1955 | 1954 | 1953 | 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Uncollected Taxes - Dec. 31, 1957:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | | $ 5,161.68 | | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | | 52.00 | $ 6.00 | $ 6.00 | $ 2.00 | | |
| Yield Taxes | | | 287.00 | | 233.46 | $ 292.29 | $ 11.30 |
| **Taxes Committed to Collector:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | $ 44,835.52 | | | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | 238.00 | | | | | | |
| Yield Taxes | 264.79 | 1,065.11 | | | | | |
| **Added Taxes:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | 68.40 | | | | | | |
| Interest Collected | | 140.64 | | | | | |
| | $ 45,406.71 | $ 6,419.43 | $ 293.00 | $ 6.00 | $ 235.46 | $ 292.29 | $ 11.30 |

| CREDITS | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Remittances to Treasurer:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | $ 37,028.93 | $ 5,136.62 | | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | 188.00 | 50.00 | $ 4.00 | $ 4.00 | $ 2.00 | | |
| Yield Taxes | 125.11 | 938.15 | 74.11 | | | | $ 11.30 |
| Interest | | 140.64 | | | | | |
| **Abatements Allowed:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | 235.12 | 63.94 | | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | 4.00 | | 2.00 | 2.00 | | | |
| Yield Taxes | | | 78.94 | | | | |
| **Uncollected Taxes - Dec. 31, 1958:** | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | 7,639.87 | 11.52 | | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | 46.00 | 2.00 | | | | | |
| Yield Taxes | 139.68 | 126.96 | 133.95 | | 233.46 | $ 292.29 | |
| | $ 45,406.71 | $ 6,469.83 | $ 293.00 | $ 6.00 | $ 235.46 | $ 292.29 | $ 11.30 |
| Less: Excess Credits | | 50.40 | | | | | |
| | $ 45,406.71 | $ 6,419.43 | $ 293.00 | $ 6.00 | $ 235.46 | $ 292.29 | $ 11.30 |

## EXHIBIT C–2

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Summary of State Head Tax Warrants

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

| Debits | Levies of | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1958 | 1957 | 1956 | 1955 | 1954 | 1953 |
| Uncoll. head taxes, 12/31/57 | | $155.00 | $40.00 | $25.00 | $5.00 | $10.00 |
| Head taxes committed to collector | $755.00 | | | | | |
| Penalties collected | 3.00 | 13.00 | 2.00 | 1.50 | | |
| | $758.00 | $168.00 | $42.00 | $26.50 | $5.00 | $10.00 |
| **Credits** | | | | | | |
| **Remit. to Treas.:** | | | | | | |
| Head taxes | $610.00 | $130.00 | $20.00 | $15.00 | $5.00 | $10.00 |
| Penalties | 3.00 | 13.00 | 2.00 | 1.50 | | |
| Abatements | 10.00 | | | | | |
| Uncoll. head taxes, 12/31/58 | 135.00 | 25.00 | 20.00 | 10.00 | | |
| | $758.00 | $168.00 | $42.00 | $26.50 | $5.00 | $10.00 |

## EXHIBIT D

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Summary of Town Clerk's Accounts

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

**Debits**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand 12/31/57, Motor Vehicles | | | $ 25.68 |
| **Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:** | | | |
| 1957 - Nos. 34025 - 34032 | | $ 10.25 | |
| 1958 - Nos. 33801 - 34047 | | 1,750.65 | |
| | | | 1,760.90 |
| **Dog Licenses Issued:** | | | |
| 34 @ $ 2.00 | $ 68.00 | | |
| 3 @ $ 5.00 | 15.00 | | |
| 1 @ $25.00 | 25.00 | | |
| Penalties | 1.00 | | |
| | | $ 109.00 | |
| Less: 38 Fees @ $ .20 | | 7.60 | |
| | | | 101.40 |
| Filing Fees | | | 6.00 |
| | | | $ 1,893.98 |

**Credits**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Remittances to Treasurer:** | | | |
| Motor Vehicle Permits | $ 1,783.53 | | |
| Dog Licenses | 98.40 | | |
| Filing Fees | 6.00 | | |
| | | $ 1,887.93 | |
| Cash on hand a/c Motor Vehicle Permits | | 3.05 | |
| Cash on hand a/c Dog Licenses | | 3.00 | |
| | | | $ 1,893.98 |

## EXHIBIT E

## TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

### Summary of Trust Fund Principal, Income & Investments

### Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958

| | PRINCIPAL | INCOME | | | | Balance of |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Balance December 31, 1957 & December 31, 1958 | Balance Dec. 31, 1957 | * Income Dur. Yr. | Expended Dur. Yr. | Balance 12/31/58 | Principal & Income 12/31/58 |
| **Cemetery Fund:** | | | | | | |
| Emerson Fund | $ 300.00 | $ 369.25 | $ 23.72 | $ 20.00 | $ 372.97 | $ 672.97 |
| John Batchelder Estate Fund | 500.00 | 182.38 | | | 182.38 | 682.38 |
| Bridgewater Old Home Cemetery Assoc. | 500.00 | 618.04 | 39.47 | 58.00 | 599.51 | 1,099.51 |
| Webster-Cross Fund | 160.19 | 10.70 | 2.55 | 12.00 | 1.25 | 161.44 |
| Whittemore Point Fund | 500.00 | 473.86 | | | 473.86 | 973.86 |
| | $ 1,960.19 | $ 1,654.23 | $ 65.74 | $ 90.00 | $ 1,629.97 | $ 3,590.16 |

**Investments**

| | |
|---|---|
| Amoskeag Savings Bank | $ 682.38 |
| New Hampshire Savings Bank | 2,746.34 |
| Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank | 161.44 |
| | $ 3,590.16 |

* Books not presented for entry of full 1958 income

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

*Town Officers' Salaries:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Lawrence L. Denton, Chairman, Selectman | $ 350.00 |
| Reginald C. Morrill, Selectman | 150.00 |
| Hollis L. Pollard, Selectman | 150.00 |
| Elizabeth Pollard, Clerk | 50.00 |
| Edward G. Mellus, Tax Collector | 571.38 |
| Delmore A. Bucklin, Police Chief | 25.00 |
| Claire Mellus, Treasurer | 50.00 |
| | $ 1,346.38 |

*Town Officers' Expenses:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Lawrence L. Denton, Chairman, Selectman | $ 108.57 |
| Hollis L. Pollard, Selectman | 33.40 |
| Elizabeth Pollard, permit fees | 125.00 |
| Elizabeth Pollard, expenses | 24.81 |
| Claire Mellus, expenses | 9.85 |
| Delmore A. Bucklin, police expenses | 10.00 |
| N. H. Town Clerk's Assoc., dues | 3.00 |
| Assoc. of N. H. Assessors, dues | 6.00 |
| Tax Collector's Assoc., dues | 3.00 |
| N. H. Municipal Assoc., dues and meeting | 32.25 |
| State of N. H., assessment record cards | 5.00 |
| State of N. H., tax supplements | 1.00 |
| Town of Alexandria, exemption certificates | 5.38 |
| F. J. Shores, Register, transfers | 15.79 |
| F. J. Shores, Register, Tobey deed | 2.74 |
| Anna Proctor, Register, transfer names | .20 |
| State Tax Commission, Audit | 66.74 |
| Enterprise Press, printing notices | 24.05 |
| Enterprise Press, town reports | 327.41 |
| Allied Engraving Corp., cuts | 9.54 |
| Robert Erickson, drafting | 5.00 |
| Leslie Martin, refund taxes bought | 2.85 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Branham Auto Ref. Book | 7.00 |
| Recording and Stat. Corp., auto book | 4.00 |
| George T. Ray, Jr., legal fees | 58.20 |
| John C. Ray, town officer bonds | 66.90 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies | 40.56 |
| Fred C. Tobey, Tobey road | 1.00 |
| Bank Service Charges | 3.04 |
| | $ 1,002.28 |

*Election and Registration:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Seron W. Bailey, supervisor | 11.00 |
| Robert Erickson, supervisor | 57.10 |
| Ethel Young, supervisor | 37.12 |
| Vera Sleeper, ballot clerk | 15.00 |
| Geneva Fogg, ballot clerk | 15.00 |
| Pasquaney Grange, rent | 68.00 |
| Recort Print, notices | 21.85 |
| Enterprise Press, printing notices | 31.55 |
| | $ 256.62 |

*Town Dump:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Paul Morrill, feeders | $ 16.85 |
| Paul Morrill, clearing, fire | 19.38 |
| John Emerson, clearing | 38.50 |
| Raymond Tucker, dozing | 80.00 |
| A. S. Woodward, dozing | 22.00 |
| Stephen Curley, fire | 1.88 |
| Hollis Pollard, fire | 5.60 |
| | $ 184.21 |

*Town Hall:*

| | |
|---|---|
| N. H. Electric Corp. | $ 33.00 |

*Fire Protection:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Hollis Pollard, wardens training school | | 13.48 |
| Hammond Hill Investigation (May 23) | | |
| H. Pollard | $ 3.20 | |
| C. G. Powden | 1.60 | |
| Arlon Bartlett | 1.20 | |
| Byron Wiser | 3.00 | |
| John Jenness | 2.05 | |
| Fred Martel | 1.50 | |
| | | $ 12.55 |
| Dump Fire (July 4) D. A. Bucklin, equipment | | $ 6.86 |
| Dump Fire (Aug. 17) | | |
| H. Pollard | $ 22.40 | |
| D. Bucklin | 18.90 | |
| P. Morrill | 40.80 | |
| M. D'Arcy | 3.60 | |
| V. Morrill | 12.00 | |
| Ora Morrill | 16.80 | |
| J. Spaeth | 4.80 | |
| | | $ 119.30 |
| State of N. H., equipment | | 1.73 |
| Bristol Fire Dept., Whip-O-Will fire | | 61.00 |
| New Hampton, Vil. Fire Prec., Morgan fire | | 11.00 |
| Bridgewater Hill Fire (Nov. 2) | | |
| Hollis Pollard | $ 6.15 | |
| John Jenness | 4.05 | |
| Reginald Morrill | 3.60 | |
| | | $ 13.80 |
| | | $ 239.72 |

*Zoning:*

| | |
|---|---|
| U. S. Dept. Agriculture, map | $ 12.20 |
| Spaulding-Moss, zoning map | 34.83 |
| State Planning, prints of base map | 1.24 |
| Pasquaney Grange, rent | 5.00 |
| Barbara Hubbard, typing | 5.00 |
| Record Print, notices | 4.90 |
| Enterprise Press, notices, materials | 8.60 |
| Nancy Hannagan, typing | 10.00 |
| Cardigan Sport Store, materials | 18.40 |
| | $ 100.17 |

*Insurance:*

| | |
|---|---|
| J. C. Ray, work comp. 1957 | $ 107.81 |
| J. C. Ray, work comp., 1958 | 116.05 |
| J. C. Ray, Huber | 54.20 |
| J. C. Ray, Truck | 109.52 |
| J. E. Marsh, Tractor | 6.87 |
| | $ 394.45 |

## BRIDGEWATER OLD HOME WEEK

| | |
|---|---|
| On hand August 1, 1958 | $ 275.00 |
| *Receipts:* | |
| Sunday Collection | 21.56 |
| Old Home Day Sale commissions & donations | 22.67 |
| Evening Dance | 51.25 |
| Donation | 9.66 |
| Total | $ 380.16 |
| *Payments:* | |
| Larry Gilpatric, work on grounds | $ 15.00 |
| Record Print, Programs | 32.37 |
| Sunday Service | 25.00 |
| Prizes for Children | 14.00 |
| Supplies | 34.39 |
| Baking Beans | 13.10 |
| Walter B. Dame, Band | 105.00 |
| Evening Music | 45.00 |
| Window Shades | 40.00 |
| 10 Folding Chairs plus $2.40 Express | 56.30 |
| Total | $ 380.16 |
| Balance in Savings Bank | $ 0.73 |

Respectfully submitted

JOSEPHINE H. FLETCHER, Treasurer

## FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Twenty-five percent of all forest fires in New Hampshire are caused from careless debris burning —brush, paper, leaves, grass, etc. Most of them are started without the required permit from the local forest fire warden The cost of extinguishing these fires annually runs into large sums of money.

According to law, responsible parties must pay the cost of putting them out. In addition, violators may be subject to court prosecution with fines running as high as [$200] two-hundred dollars.

In the interest of fire prevention why not eliminate burning at home? Use your town dump. It has been set up for your personal convenience. It provides a suitable place for the disposal of dangerous inflammable waste material and other useless items which accumulate around the home and local stores; brush, ect., cut on your property. Eliminate the hazard of burning yourself. It will be easier for you — personally and financially.

If, however, you do burn on your premises:

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden — the law requires it.

2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.

3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

*Save yourself much possible difficulty. Use your town dump.*

Number of local fires 2

Number of acres burned Spots

Number of permits issued 22

GERALD S. GROSS
District Fire Chief
HOLLIS L. POLLARD
Forest Fire Warden

## LIBRARY REPORT

| | River Rd. Sta. | Turnpike Sta. |
|---|---|---|
| Books on hand 1/1/58 | 852 | 637 |
| Books purchased, 1958 | 39 | 45 |
| Book gifts, 1958 | 8 | 15 |
| Books on hand, 12/31/58 | 899 | 697 |
| Books borrowed, Bookmobile | 375 | 215 |
| Books borrowed, State Library | 0 | 9 |
| Total books available, 1958 | 1,308 | 921 |
| Books Loaned: | | |
| Adult | 218 | 853 |
| Juvenile | 680 | 160 |
| Total Loaned | 898 | 1,013 |
| Number of Borrowers: | | |
| Adults | 23 | 28 |
| Children | 49 | 8 |
| Total Borrowers | 72 | 36 |

### Turnpike Librarian's Report

The patrons' list has been completely revised with only members of two years standing plus several additional summer people. Our circulation is again a record in the Turnpike Station.

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN
Librarian

## BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY

*Treasurer's Report 1958*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Receipts:* | | |
| Balance Jan. 1, 1958 | $ 17.34 | |
| Bank interest | .46 | |
| Sale discarded books (River Road) | 4.00 | |
| Town appropriation | 175.00 | |
| | | $ 196.80 |
| *Expenses:* | | |
| Books and postage: | | |
| River Road Branch | $ 83.30 | |
| Turnpike Branch | 77.50 | |
| Salaries: | | |
| River Road Branch | 10.00 | |
| Turnpike Branch | 10.00 | |
| | | $ 180.80 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1958 | | $ 16.00 |

Respectfully submitted

ALICE B. DICKINSON, Treasurer.

## HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT

### Purchases & Repairs — 1958

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **A-C Model K Tractor, Repair:** | | |
| Cab | $ 80.00 | |
| Transportation, Concord | 100.00 | |
| Repairs, N.H. Tractor Corp.. Rebuild plow, fit new cab, repair hydraulic sys., new lights, wipers, etc., paint | 1,648.00 | |
| | | $ 1,828.00 |
| **Huber Maintainer, Repair:** | | |
| Wendell Lougee, shovel | $ 30.00 | |
| Oceanside Machine Shop | 24.00 | |
| Gulf Oil Corp., lubricants | 20.33 | |
| Plymouth Gulf Sta., materials | 4.06 | |
| E. L. Heal & Sons, materials | 14.50 | |
| Deming Chevrolet, materials | 17.21 | |
| Elliot Bros., parts | 1.20 | |
| Kibby Equipment, parts | 339.01 | |
| Sanel Auto, parts | 233.24 | |
| Blade (from Summer Roads) | 120.75 | |
| Albert Cyr, labor - welding | 85.00 | |
| | | $ 889.30 |
| **Ford F-740 Truck & Plow, New:** | | |
| Fred's Auto (F740, body, standard equip., nylon off-road tires rear) | 4,000.00 | |
| Sanel Auto (Ext. equip.: hyd. jack, lights, Hollywood mirrors, saddle tank) | 134.83 | |
| Bartlett Auto, instal. of above | 40.07 | |
| R. C. Hazelton, Inc. (Good Roads V-plow, push frame, elec. pump, installed) | 1,055.00 | |
| Bartlett Auto (instal. of wing plow) | 106.99 | |
| Note: Wing plow obtained at no cost. | | |
| | | $ 5,336.89 |

## ROAD IMPROVEMENTS — 1958

| Paid by Road Agent: | Total | Sub Total | 1 Bridge-water Hill | 2 Blasting Ledge | 3 Howard Hill | 4 Poole Hill | 5 Dump Road | 6 Tobey Road | 7 Misc. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harold Goulette, shovel | $202.50 | | | | $202.50 | | | | |
| N.E. Metal Culvert | 192.34 | | | | | | $192.34 | | |
| Gareth Gilpatric, truck | 21.00 | | | | | | | $21.00 | |
| Raymond Tucker, truck | 74.20 | | | | | | | 74.20 | |
| N. H. Morrison, dozer | 807.10 | | | | | | 180.00 | 627.10 | |
| W. Lougee, trucks - shovel | 266.60 | | $266.60 | | | | | | |
| Ira Morrill, labor | 94.19 | | 20.78 | $36.09 | 37.32 | | | | |
| Maurice Jenness, labor | 98.54 | | 25.66 | 37.88 | 35.00 | | | | |
| Robert Cass, labor | 31.77 | | | | 31.77 | | | | |
| Rodney Jenness, dozer | 177.60 | | | | 153.00 | | | 24.60 | |
| | | $1965.84 | | | | | | | |
| **Plus Charges from Sum. Rds.:** | | | | | | | | | |
| Wirthmore, culverts | 162.86 | | | | | | | 162.86 | |
| Atwood, bridge lumber | 224.32 | | | | | | | | $224.32 |
| Jenness, gravel | 20.00 | | 20.00 | | | | | | |
| Culverts | 42.97 | | | | 42.97 | | | | |
| | | 450.15 | | | | | | | |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Paid by Selectmen:** | | | | | | | | | |
| Raymond Tucker, dozer | 500.00 | | | | | $500.00 | | | |
| W. Morrill, crusher | 150.00 | | 150.00 | | | | | | |
| John Emerson, gravel | 14.00 | | | | | 14.00 | | | |
| Prison Ind., culvert | 172.00 | | | | | 172.00 | | | |
| Delmore Bucklin, truck | 91.55 | | | | 91.55 | | | | |
| State Treas., Soc. Sec. | 4.50 | | 1.06 | 1.78 | 1.66 | | | | |
| Int. Rev. Serv., withhold. | 6.00 | | | 3.00 | 3.00 | | | | |
| | | 938.05 | | | | | | | |
| **TOTALS** | | **$3354.04** | **$484.10** | **$78.75** | **$598.77** | **$686.00** | **$372.34** | **$909.76** | **$224.32** |

## WINTER ROADS — 1958

| ITEM | Total | Sub Totals | Labor | Repairs Material Supplies | Equip. Hire | Gas & Oil |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Paid by Road Agent:** | | | | | | |
| J. L. Jenness, labor | $603.85 | | $603.85 | | | |
| J. L. Jenness, jeep | 1080.75 | | | | $1080.75 | |
| J. L. Jenness, truck | 508.25 | | | | 508.25 | |
| Mitchell Jenness, labor | 475.05 | | 475.05 | | | |
| W. Lougee, labor-shovel | 253.63 | | | | 253.63 | |
| Bill Dickinson, labor | 10.00 | | 10.00 | | | |
| Wayne Radcliffe, labor | 226.43 | | 226.43 | | | |
| Victor Morrill, labor | 8.06 | | 8.06 | | | |
| Ira Morrill, labor | 202.34 | | 202.34 | | | |
| Byron Wiser, labor | 15.88 | | 15.88 | | | |
| Robert Cass, labor | 231.00 | | 231.00 | | | |
| Maurice Jenness, labor | 143.41 | | 143.41 | | | |
| Ober & Son, gas | 98.54 | | | | | $98.54 |
| Delmore Bucklin, gas | 77.00 | | | | | 77.00 |
| Lawrence Fogg, labor | 8.75 | | 8.75 | | | |
| Bartlett Auto, welding | 8.78 | | | $8.78 | | |
| Gulf Oil Corp., oil | 12.42 | | | | | 12.42 |
| Rands Hardware, bolts | .80 | | | .80 | | |
| Paul Morrill, labor | 17.50 | | 17.50 | | | |
| Wirthmore Stores, mat. | 13.90 | | | 13.90 | | |
| Cyr's, welding | 17.75 | | | 17.75 | | |
| | | $4014.09 | | | | |
| **Paid by Selectmen:** | | | | | | |
| Int. Rev., withholding | 159.40 | | 159.40 | | | |
| N.H. Tractor Corp, rep. | 233.60 | | | 233.60 | | |
| Sanels, chains (truck) | 52.64 | | | 52.64 | | |
| J. L. Jenness, salary | 457.96 | | 457.96 | | | |
| Merrimack Farmers, snow fence | 131.44 | | | 131.44 | | |
| Gulf Oil, gas, oil | 70.75 | | | | | 70.75 |
| Shell Oil Co., gas, oil | 51.34 | | | | | 51.34 |
| State Treas., social sec. | 16.11 | | 16.11 | | | |
| | | 1173.24 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | $5187.33 | $2575.74 | $458.91 | $1842.63 | $310.05 |

## SUMMER ROADS — 1958

| ITEM | Total | Sub Totals | Labor | Repairs Material Supplies | Equip. Hire | Gas & Oil |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Paid by Road Agent:** | | | | | | |
| J. L. Jenness, labor | $347.80 | | $347.80 | | | |
| J. L. Jenness, truck | 218.75 | | | | $218.75 | |
| Ira Morrill, labor | 725.34 | | 725.34 | | | |
| Robert Cass, labor | 850.10 | | 850.10 | | | |
| W. Lougee, shovel-truck | 144.80 | | | | 144.80 | |
| Mitchell Jenness, labor | 435.88 | | 435.88 | | | |
| Max Jenness, labor | 53.12 | | 53.12 | | | |
| Maurice Jenness, labor | 9.89 | | 9.89 | | | |
| L. Mitchell, labor-posts | 39.00 | | 19.00 | $20.00 | | |
| D. Atwood, stringers | 224.32 | | | 224.32 | | |
| Faltin, transportation | 22.93 | | | 22.93 | | |
| R. C. Hazelton, culverts | 198.31 | | | 198.31 | | |
| J. L. Jenness, gravel | 20.00 | | | 20.00 | | |
| Jones Express, express | 2.45 | | | 2.45 | | |
| Town of Plymouth, grader | 22.50 | | | | 22.50 | |
| Frachers Hardware, bolts | 1.68 | | | 1.68 | | |
| N.H. Expl., cutting edge | 18.54 | | | 18.54 | | |
| Worthmore Stores, calcium - culverts | 417.87 | | | 417.87 | | |
| H. J. Follansbee, tools | 10.40 | | | 10.40 | | |
| Pucetti, tools | 32.78 | | | 32.78 | | |
| Titus, oil | 52.59 | | | | | $52.59 |
| Ober & Son, gas, filters | 91.55 | | | | | 91.55 |
| Bartlett Auto, welding | 15.06 | | | 15.06 | | |
| Bank service charge | 3.76 | | | 3.76 | | |
| Kibby Equip., blade | 120.75 | | | 120.75 | | |
| Delmore Bucklin, gas | 14.95 | | | | | 14.95 |
| Ashland Lumber, spikes | .80 | | | .80 | | |
| Rands, spikes | 5.86 | | | 5.86 | | |
| | | $4101.78 | | | | |
| | | | $2441.13 | $1115.51 | $386.05 | $159.09 |

**Less Items Charged Other Accounts:**

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kibby Equip. Huber a/c | $120.75 | | | $120.75 | | |
| Wirthmore, culverts, Imp. | 162.86 | | | 162.86 | | |
| Atwood, lumber, Imp. | 224.32 | | | 224.32 | | |
| Jenness, gravel, Imp. | 20.00 | | | 20.00 | | |
| Culverts, Improvement | 42.97 | | | 42.97 | | |
| | | 570.90 | | | | |
| Net Charged, Summer Roads | | $3530.88 | $2441.13 | $544.61 | $386.05 | $159.09 |

**Paid by Selectmen:**

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| J. L. Jenness, salary | $1220.51 | | 1220.51 | | | |
| Int. Rev., withholding | 262.82 | | 262.82 | | | |
| Kibby Equip., Huber | 169.59 | | | 169.59 | | |
| Jones Exp., express | 2.45 | | | 2.45 | | |
| Tilton S. & G., patch | 194.46 | | | 194.46 | | |
| H. J. Follansbee, tools | 10.90 | | | 10.90 | | |
| Gulf Oil, gas, oil | 123.09 | | | | | 123.09 |
| Socony Mobil, gas, oil | 29.51 | | | | | 29.51 |
| Shell Oil Co., gas, oil | 275.46 | | | | | 275.46 |
| State Treas., mark'g roads | 44.62 | | | | 44.62 | |
| Freds Auto, rep. truck | 13.28 | | | 13.28 | | |
| State Treas., social sec. | 86.83 | | 86.83 | | | |
| Berg & Ireland, mat. | 47.78 | | | 47.78 | | |
| Dels Garage, repairs | 4.91 | | | 4.91 | | |
| | | 2486.21 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | $6017.09 | $4011.29 | $987.98 | $430.67 | $587.15 |

## ROAD MAINTENANCE SUMMARY — 1958

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Summer Roads | $6017.09 | $4011.29 | $987.98 | $430.67 | $587.15 |
| Winter Roads | 5187.33 | 2575.74 | 458.91 | 1842.63 | 310.05 |
| **Grand Totals** | **$11204.42** | **$6587.03** | **$1446.89** | **$2273.30** | **$897.20** |

## REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Office of Selectmen

Bridgewater, N. H.

The following is a report of the activities conducted by the N. H. Department of Health, Bureau Public Health Nursing, for the year 1958, for the town of Bridgewater.

The children from Bridgewater were invited to attend the immunization clinics held at Plymouth during the year. Several took advantage and received Salk Vaccine, Triple Toxoid or Smallpox Vaccinations.

A Preschool Dental Cleaning and Sodium Fluorine Program was conducted at the Legion Home in Plymouth in August and eight children 3 - 6 years of age, from Bridgewater, took advantage and had teeth cleaned, four NaF treatments and excellent dental instruction by a Dental Hygienist of the N. H. Dept. of Health, Bureau Dental Public Health.

Home visits have been made in the town on babies and preschool children, arrangements for children to attend diagnostic clinics and follow-up visits were made.

LOIS W. BARTON, R. N.

Public Health Nurse

N. H. Department of Health

# VITAL STATISTICS 1958

## BIRTHS

Date, place of birth; name and sex of child; name of father, maiden name of mother; number of child.

Jan. 26, Plymouth; Wendell Scott, male; Richard Charles Palmer, Evelyn Mae Hodgson; 1st.

March 10, Plymouth; Robert Ashley, male; Robert Leroy Webber, Shila Madonna Burbank; 2nd.

March 13, Plymouth; Sharrol Lee-Ann, female; Robert William Cook, Sandra Lee Sorels; 1st.

May 15, Plymouth; Forrest Edward, male; Ronald Ernest Towne, Beatrice Elizabeth Young; 3rd.

July 10, Plymouth; Diana Lynn, female; Robert Peter Cass, Margaret Susanne Jenness; 8th.

October 19, Plymouth; Michael Willard, male; Maurice Arthur Jenness, Irene Luzan Beckley; 4th.

Nov. 10, Plymouth; John Alden, male; Joseph Buckley Phinney, Jr., Sylvia Margaret Conkey; 1st.

Nov. 14, Plymouth; Darnelle Lou, female; Donald Everett Atwood, Arberta Belle Thompson; 3rd.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk.

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## DEATHS

Date and place of death; name and surname of deceased; age.

December 19, Plymouth; Clarence Earle Darling; 56.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk.

## MARRIAGES

Date and place of marriage; name and surname of the bridegroom and bride; name, official station and residence of person performing ceremony.

March 22, South Alexandria; Lawrence Granville Morrill, Mildred Alice Coffin; Ethel Lee Matthews, Baptist Minister, Bristol, N.H.

April 12, Bristol; Joseph Thomas Hannagan, Jr., Nancy Ann Brock; Gilles Simard, Roman Catholic Priest, Bristol, N.H.

April 19, Ashland; Dana Ray Potter, Esther Hazel Phinney; Robert S. Walker, Clergyman, Ashland, N.H.

May 17, Bristol; William Armand Racine, Elizabeth May Schneider; Louis C. Toppan, Clergyman, Bristol.

June 25, Hebron; Larry Harold Walker, Martha Lorraine Phinney; Eric W. Bascom, Sr., Clergyman, Hebron.

June 28, Bridgewater; Dominic Alfred Cercone, Alice Catherine Anderson; A. Brownlow Thompson, Methodist Minister, Bristol.

Aug. 9, Bristol; Arthur Arnold Forbes, Dorothy Louise Thibault; A. Brownlow Thompson, Methodist Minister, Bristol, N.H.

Oct. 31, Bristol; Norman P. Smith, Jr., Beverly A. Shaw; Ethel Lee Matthews, Baptist Minister, Bristol.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk.

## ZONING COMMISSION REPORT

This committee has held many meetings during the past year. Members of the New Hampshire Planning and Development Commission and the Board of Selectmen have attended some of these meetings and have given us help whenever called upon. The New Hampshire Planning and Development Commission prepared a map of the town which has been on display at Town Meetings and at the Open Zoning Meetings. This map has been marked to show the various areas which should be zoned for Residential agricultural, Business industrial and Recreational.

We held two Open Meetings, one at the River Road Schoolhouse and the other at the Grange Hall. These meetings were not too well attended but those who did attend gave the committee many good ideas which are being considered by the committee and may be incorporated in a new proposed zoning ordinance which will be presented at Open Meetings in the late winter or early spring.

A Special Town Meeting will be called in April or May to vote on the acceptance or rejection of the zoning ordinance, but prior to this meeting we will again hold at least one open meeting to go over the plan with the voters of the Town.

EDGAR N. JOSEPHSON,
Chairman

BERTRAM L. FORBES
DAVID B. DICKINSON
RONALD E. TOWNE

Zoning Committee

# REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BRIDGEWATER

*School Directory*

| | |
|---|---|
| Edward G. Mellus | Moderator |
| Claire A. Mellus | Treasurer |
| Gertrude M. Bucklin | Clerk |
| Lawrence L. Denton | Auditor |

*School Board*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gertrude M. Bucklin | Term expires 1959 |
| Alice B. Dickinson | Term expires 1960 |
| Catherine H. Drew | Term expires 1961 |

*Teachers*

| | |
|---|---|
| Anna E. Moses | River Road Gr. 1-4 |
| Zanita S. Collins | River Road Gr. 5-8 |

*Attendance Officer*

Clara Jenness

*Superintendent of Schools*

C. Maurice Gray

*School Nurse*

Rita H. Webster, R. N.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 1959-60

| | |
|---|---|
| Open Sept. 8 | Close Dec. 18 |
| Open Jan. 4 | Close Feb. 19 |
| Open Feb. 29 | Close Apr. 22 |
| Open May 2 | Close June 17 |

Days out: Oct. 12, Nov. 26, 27 (close 12:30 Nov. 25); Teachers' Convention Oct. 15, 16; May 30. Total number of days required by State Board is 180 including three for institutes and conventions and up to five for work shops. Pupils must enter the first grade if six by Sept. 30 and may enter if six by Jan. 1. Vaccination is required by state law unless child has written excuse from doctor.

# SCHOOL WARRANT

*The State of New Hampshire*

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the River Road School in said district on the 3rd day of March 1959, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500.00) the same to be made immediately available.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Bridgewater this 9th day of February 1959.

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN
ALICE B. DICKINSON
CATHERINE H. DREW
School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN
CATHERINE H. DREW
ALICE B. DICKINSON
School Board

## COMPARATIVE BUDGETS

| ITEMS | Expend. 1957–58 | Budget 1958–59 | Est. Bdgt. 1959–60 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Administration** | | | |
| Salaries of district officers | $ 116.00 | $ 189.00 | $ 192.00 |
| Supt.'s salary (local share) | 343.85 | 338.96 | 339.15 |
| Tax for state wide supervision | 114.00 | 120.00 | 124.00 |
| Salaries of admin. personnel | 184.89 | 224.62 | 245.71 |
| Supplies and expenses | 411.31 | 400.00 | 425.00 |
| **Instruction** | | | |
| Teachers' salaries | 6,980.84 | 7,350.00 | 7,550.00 |
| Books and other aids | 260.11 | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Scholars' supplies | 252.67 | 175.00 | 200.00 |
| Supplies and other expenses | 129.75 | 25.00 | 50.00 |
| **Operation of School Plant** | | | |
| Salary of janitor | 363.75 | 360.00 | 360.00 |
| Fuel or heat | 366.65 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Water, light, supplies & expenses | 260.91 | 210.00 | 300.00 |
| **Maintenance of School Plant** | | | |
| Repairs and replacements | 121.40 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| **Auxiliary Activities** | | | |
| Health supervision | 161.40 | 178.40 | 178.50 |
| Transportation of pupils | 3,915.00 | 4,026.00 | 3,293.00 |
| Tuition, high school | 3,459.86 | 4,850.00 | 5,395.00 |
| Tuition, elementary | 1,907.99 | 1,760.00 | 2,640.00 |
| Special activities & spec. funds | 9.75 | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| **Fixed Charges** | | | |
| Retirement | 442.89 | 510.00 | 570.00 |
| Insurance, treas. bonds & exp. | 152.73 | 153.00 | 153.00 |
| **Capital Outlay** | | | |
| New equipment | 80.00 | | |
| **Debt and Interest** | | | |
| Principal of debt | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Interest on debt | 180.00 | 150.00 | 120.00 |
| **Total Expenditures** | **$ 21,215.75** | **$ 22,829.98** | **$ 23,945.36** |

### School Board's Estimate

| | |
|---|---|
| State Building Aid | $ 300.00 |
| **District Assessment** | **23,645.36** |
| **Total Appropriation** | **$ 23,945.36** |

# FINANCIAL REPORT

*Of School Treasurer and School Board*

*For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1958*

*Treasurer's Report*

*Summary:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1957 | | $ 5.01 |
| Received from Selectmen, current appropriation | $ 20,907.98 | |
| Received from State, Building Aid | 300.00 | |
| Received from all Other Sourses | 19.44 | |
| Total Receipts | | 21,227.42 |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year | | $ 21,232.43 |
| Less School Board Orders Paid | | 21,215.75 |
| Balance on Hand June 30, 1958 | | $ 16.68 |

CLAIRE A. MELLUS, Treasurer

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*Auditor's Certificate*

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bridgewater, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 and find them correct in all respects.

LAWRENCE L. DENTON, Auditor.

## SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

*Receipts:*

| | |
|---|---|
| From Selectmen, appropriation | $ 20,907.98 |
| From State, building aid | 300.00 |
| From State, refund from per capita tax | 11.44 |
| From all other sources | 8:00 |
| Total Receipts | $ 21,227.42 |
| Cash on hand July 1, 1957 | $5.01 |
| Grand Total | $ 21,232.43 |

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Salaries of District Officers:* | | |
| Catherine Drew, school board | $ 35.00 | |
| Alice B. Dickinson, school board | 25.00 | |
| Gertrude Bucklin, school board & clerk | 28.00 | |
| Claire A. Mellus, treasurer | 25.00 | |
| Edward Mellus, moderator | 3.00 | |
| | | $ 116.00 |
| *Superintendent's Salary:* | | |
| Supervisory Union No. 4 | | 343.83 |
| *Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:* | | |
| Supervisory Union 4, clerk's salary | $ 169.89 | |
| Clara Jenness, truant officer, census | 15.00 | |
| | | 184.89 |
| *Expenses of Administration:* | | |
| The Record Print, notices | 5.60 | |
| The Enterprise Press, notices | 9.60 | |
| The First Nat'l Bank, Bristol, serv. chg | 3.73 | |
| Supervisory Union 4, share of union expenses | 230.57 | |
| N. H. School Boards Assoc., dues | 5.00 | |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, vouchers | 12.49 | |
| Catherine Drew, expenses | 16.41 | |
| Alice Dickinson, expenses | 4.11 | |
| Gertrude Bucklin, expenses | 32.06 | |
| J. L. Hammett Co., supplies | 4.13 | |
| Town of Bridgewater, share of printing town reports | 80.25 | |
| Claire Mellus, expenses | 7.36 | |
| | | 411.31 |

*Teachers' Salaries:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Hugh O.Donnell | $ 2,755.57 | |
| Anna E. Moses | 2,694.14 | |
| Director of Internal Revenue | 734.20 | |
| N. H. Teachers Retirement System | 248.13 | |
| Treasurer, State of N. H., social security | 156.26 | |
| Carolyn Emery, substitute | 27.91 | |
| Zanita Collins, substitute | 9.52 | |
| Ray F. Ladieu | 226.56 | |
| Bristol School District, Blue Cross | 128.55 | |
| | | 6,980.84 |

*Textbooks:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| The L. W. Singer Co. | $ 74.77 | |
| World Book Co. | 7.14 | |
| Webster Publishing Co. | 1.95 | |
| Houghton Mifflin Co. | 11.44 | |
| The Macmillion Co. | 12.25 | |
| Martin and Murray Co., Inc. | 45.75 | |
| G. & G. Merriam Co. | 5.60 | |
| Scott, Foresman & Co. | 14.93 | |
| Silver Burdett Co. | 3.64 | |
| Benefic Press | 16.39 | |
| American Book Co. | 64.90 | |
| Cardigan Sport Store | 1.35 | |
| | | 260.11 |

*Other Expenses of Instruction:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Rand's Hardware | $ 3.75 | |
| F. E. Compton & Co. | 126.00 | |
| | | 129.75 |

*Janitors' Salaries:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Teofila Drew, janitor | $ 354.00 | |
| Shirley Tucker, cleaning | 6.75 | |
| Esther Phinney, cleaning | 3.00 | |
| | | 363.75 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Scholars' Supplies:* | | |
| Cascade Paper Co. | $ 49.75 | |
| J. L. Hammett Co. | 3.35 | |
| World Book Co. | 9.78 | |
| Houghton Mifflin Co. | 20.97 | |
| Silver Burdett Co. | 4.21 | |
| The Macmillan Co. | 3.41 | |
| Scott, Foresman Co. | 25.56 | |
| Milton Bradley Co. | 63.32 | |
| Follett Publishing Co. | 31.98 | |
| Sears, Roebuck & Co. | 5.42 | |
| Rand's Hardware | 3.58 | |
| Merrimack Farmers' Exchange | 2.45 | |
| American Education Publishers | 25.50 | |
| First National Stores, Inc. | 3.39 | |
| | | 252.67 |
| *Fuel:* | | |
| Burness Swett | | 366.65 |
| *Water, Lights & Janitor's Supplies:* | | |
| N. H. Electric Cooperative | $ 225.76 | |
| Rand's Hardware, supplies | 15.32 | |
| Cascade Paper Co., supplies | 11.50 | |
| David Dickinson, cleaning well | 4.00 | |
| Teofila Drew, supplies | 4.33 | |
| | | 260.91 |
| *Minor Repairs and Expenses:* | | |
| H. P. Blair, electrical repairs | $ 30.90 | |
| Ralph Cass, cleaning furnace | 8.05 | |
| Howard Banister, piano | 50.00 | |
| Philip Spaulding, tuning piano | 17.50 | |
| Burroughs Corp., repairs to adding machine | 10.95 | |
| Puccetti's, nozzle and labor | 4.00 | |
| | | 121.40 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Health Supervision:* | | |
| Supervisory Union 4, nurse's salary | $ 157.76 | |
| C. B. Boyd, medical supplies | 3.64 | |
| | | 161.40 |
| *Transportation of Pupils:* | | |
| Clara Jenness | $ 1,392.00 | |
| Pearle Morrill | 1,566.00 | |
| Elizabeth Torsey | 957.00 | |
| | | 3,915.00 |
| *High School Tuition:* | | |
| Ashland School District | $ 1,280.00 | |
| Plymouth School District | 755.55 | |
| Bristol School District | 1,424.31 | |
| | | 3,459.86 |
| *Elementary School Tuition:* | | |
| Bristol School District | | 1,907.99 |
| *Other Special Activities:* | | |
| Clara Jenness | $ 5.40 | |
| Clay's News Stand | 4.35 | |
| | | 9.75 |
| *Tax for State Wide Supervision:* | | |
| Treasurer, State of N. H. | | 114.00 |
| *Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses:* | | |
| John C. Ray | | 152.73 |
| *New Equipment:* | | |
| A. H. Rice Co., Inc. | | 80.00 |
| *Principal of Debt:* | | |
| First National Bank, Bristol | | 1,000.00 |
| *Interest on Debt:* | | |
| First National Bank, Bristol | | 180.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Retirement:* | | |
| Treasurer, State of N. H., Social Security | $ 93.77 | |
| N. H. Teachers Retirement System | 349.14 | |
| | | 442.91 |
| Total Expenditures | | $ 21,215.75 |

*Certificate*

This is to certify that the information contained in t is report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN
ALICE B. DICKINSON
CATHERINE H. DREW

School Board.

# GENERAL STATISTICS

## Enrollment by Grades

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1957 - 58 | | | | | | | | | |
| Grades | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | Total |
| | 5 | 8 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 40 |
| 1958 - 59 | | | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 19 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 41 |

## District Totals

| | Av. Attend. | Av. Abs. | Av. Memb. | % Attend. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1957 - 58 | 36.5 | 2.1 | 38.6 | 94.5 |
| 1958 - 59 | | | | |
| Dec. 19 | 38.5 | 1.8 | 40.3 | 95.5 |

| Ashland High School—Rate $350 | Grade |
|---|---|
| Richard Brunt | 9 |
| Allen Drew | 9 |
| Mary Torsey | 9 |
| Robert Brunt | 10 |
| Guy Torsey | 10 |
| Stanley Torsey | 10 |
| Benjamin Ladien—part of year | 11 |
| Ann Morin | 11 |

| Bristol High School—Rate $350 | Grade |
|---|---|
| Susan Curley | 9 |
| Cecily Fowler | 9 |
| Brenda Morrill | 9 |
| Patricia Boyd | 11 |
| Elaine Morgan | 11 |
| Stephen Curley | 12 |
| Paul Morrill | 12 |

| Bristol Elementary School—Rate $220 | Grade |
|---|---|
| Lawrence Denton | 1 |
| Catherine Jenness | 1 |
| Barbara Shaw, part of year | 1 |
| Stephen Sleeper | 3 |
| Stephanie Sleeper | 3 |
| Gordon Cavis | 4 |
| William Weir | 4 |
| Harvey Fogg | 6 |
| Lawrence Fogg | 8 |

| Plymouth High School—Rate $325 | Grade |
|---|---|
| Elsworth Pickering | 10 |
| Gail Lougee | 11 |

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

At the end of January it would appear that a deficiency of about $500 will be necessary because of increased number of pupils attending high school. This in turn is due to new residents. Except for some savings in transportation this deficiency would be $900. There is no way whatsoever of estimating today the number of tuition pupils any district will have a year from now. Districts which do not like to vote contingency funds in a budget will face deficiency appropriations rather often.

Respectfully submitted,

C. MAURICE GRAY

Superintendent of Schools

## SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 4 BUDGET 1957 - '58

| District | Nurse | Travel | Office | Clerk | Conv. | *Supt. | Travel | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alexandria | $112.91 | $63.69 | $26.06 | $121.59 | $5.79 | $246.08 | $69.48 | $645.60 |
| Bridgewater | 157.76 | 88.99 | 36.41 | 169.89 | 8.09 | 343.83 | 97.08 | 902.05 |
| Bristol | 735.83 | 415.09 | 169.81 | 792.44 | 37.74 | 1603.74 | 452.82 | 4207.47 |
| Canaan | 541.71 | 305.58 | 125.01 | 583.38 | 27.78 | 1180.65 | 333.36 | 3097.47 |
| Danbury | 124.61 | 70.29 | 28.75 | 134.19 | 6.39 | 271.57 | 76.68 | 712.48 |
| Grafton | 112.32 | 63.36 | 25.92 | 120.96 | 5.76 | 244.80 | 69.12 | 642.24 |
| Groton | 55.86 | 31.51 | 12.89 | 60.16 | 2.86 | 121.76 | 34.38 | 319.42 |
| Hebron | 90.97 | 51.32 | 20.99 | 97.97 | 4.67 | 198.26 | 55.98 | 520.16 |
| Orange | 18.03 | 10.17 | 4.16 | 19.42 | .92 | 39.31 | 11.10 | 103.11 |
| | $1950.00 | $1100.00 | $450.00 | $2100.00 | $100.00 | $4250.00 | $1200.00 | $11150.00 |
| | | | | | State's share | 2750.00 | | |
| | | | | | | $7000.00 | | |

* State's share of superintendent's salary increased from $2750 to $4000 resulting in rebates to be taken as credit towards salary for 1958-59 by vote of the union.